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Interview Summary

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Applicant(s)

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Examiner

Rick Palabrica

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All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

(1) Rick Palabrica.

(3) Brian Lambert, Applicant's representative.

(2) Brett Winterle, Applicant's representative.

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Date of Interview: 22 October 2007.

Type: a) ☒ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference
c) ☐ Personal [copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☐ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☒ No.
If Yes, brief description: _____.

Claim(s) discussed: 21,31,34,37 and 42.

Identification of prior art discussed: _____.

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☐ was not reached. h) ☒ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: See Continuation Sheet.


(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

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Continuation of Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Discussed proposed amendments to the independent apparatus claims 21,31,34,and 37, which applicant's representatives believe to define over the applied art. The examiner indicated that he will further review the amendment when received and if indeed they define over the applied art, a new search will be conducted. With respect to proposed newclaim 42, which is a process claim, the examiner indicated that applicant has previously elected on 2/21/03 the prosecution of the apparatus claims, and such election is still in effect .


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PRIMARY EXAMINER